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In re Application of:

Richard R. REISMAN

Appln. No.: 09/553,337

Filed: April 20, 2000

Atty. Docket No. RRR-00-004US

Group Art Unit: 2182

Examiner: T.R. PEYTON

For: **METHOD FOR UPDATING SOFTWARE (As Amended)**

AMENDMENT A

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2003, and further to the Petition for Extension of Time filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	44	MINUS	69	0	\$ 9.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	9	MINUS	4	5	\$43.00	\$215.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE (EXCESS CLAIMS FEE) DUE:**\$215.00**

Based upon the above fee calculations, a total Additional Fee (Excess Claims Fee)

06/07/2004 CBARNES1 of \$215.00 is due upon entry of the accompanying Amendment A for the above-identified
01 FC:2201 application. Applicant's undersigned representative hereby authorizes that this amount
(\$215.00) and any additional fees required to maintain pendency of this application, be
charged to Deposit Account No. 16-2372.

Respectfully Submitted,

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